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Dear Mr. Fukuyama:

We are pleased to inform you that the subject application was filed as proposed under:

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as evidenced by the enclosed original filing receipt. We have requested a corrected filing receipt from the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and when we receive it we will forward it to you.

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